

Childe Harold's Pilgrimage

by Lord Byron

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Childe Harold's Pilgrimage is a lengthy narrative poem in four parts written by Lord Byron. It was published between 1812 and 1818. The poem describes the travels and reflections of a world-weary young man who, disillusioned with a life of pleasure and revelry, looks for distraction in foreign lands. The word "childe" in the title comes from the medieval term for a young man who was a candidate for knighthood.

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